

International Harmonised Research Activities Vehicle Compatibility Working Group

Minutes of the Tenth Meeting, held at DSCR, La Defense, Paris, on 15 - 16 January 2001

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| A Hobbs | Secretary | P Castaing | Europe |
| T Hollowell | USA | T Schwarz | European Industry |
| E Faerber | Europe | | |

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